STATEMENT

Place: NCISRGTMO
Date: June 15, 2006

I make the following free and voluntary statement to whom I know to be a Representative of the United States Naval Criminal Investigative Service. I make this statement of my own free will and without any threats made to me or promises extended. I fully understand that this statement is given concerning my knowledge of the emergency treatment provided to the three detainees on 10Jun06.

For identification purposes

I was the nurse assigned to the Detention Hospital and did not have any detainees being treated during this shift. I received a call around 0030-0035 from a corpsman assigned to the Detention Clinic stating that there was a detainee that had just been brought into the clinic that did not have a pulse and was not breathing. I secured my workspace and immediately went to the clinic to assist the clinic nurse.

Upon arriving to the clinic the first detainee was in the treatment room on a backboard that was resting on a stretcher. I observed that the detainee was cyanotic and upon touching him found him to be cold. I observed that the detainee was attached to a monitor and that he did not have a heart rate. I was attempting to start an IV. I moved to the head of the bed and attempted to open the detainee's airway and observed that his neck and jaw were very stiff. After opening the airway to the best of my ability CPR was started. I did not observe his hands and feet being bound upon the time of my arrival to the bedside.

At approximately 0045 the second Detainee was brought in and placed in the last treatment room on the left. He was cyanotic and a quick assessment yielded that he did not have a pulse and was not breathing. With an attempt to open the airway it was observed that his neck was stiff and skin was cool. I did not observe his hands and feet being bound upon the time of my arrival to the bedside.

During this time the third detainee was brought in and placed in the last available treatment room. I instructed the corpsman to begin CPR and I went to the bedside of the third detainee. The assessment of the third detainee yielded that he was cold and cyanotic without a pulse and was not breathing. With an attempt to open the airway of the third detainee it was observed that his jaw was clenched and that he had a white athletic sock in his mouth. After removing the sock I instructed the Corpsman to begin CPR. I did not observe his hands and feet being bound upon the time of my arrival to the bedside.

I returned to the second detainee at about 0050 and started an IV and immediately treated him with one ampule of Atropine per Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) protocol. It was during this time that the Senior Medical Officer arrived. Upon his assessment he attempted to intubate this detainee and found what appeared to be either gauze or white fabric lodged in the back of the detainees.
throat, which he removed. It was also during this time the first detainee was removed by EMT and taken to the Naval Hospital.

Life saving measures continued until both detainees were pronounced dead by the Senior Medical Officer at about 0115-0120. I immediately left the clinic and went to the Naval Hospital to assume care of the first detainee. Upon arriving, the emergency medical team was providing life saving measures without any response. The Emergency Room Doctor at from the Naval Medical Center pronounced detainee number one dead at about 0210.

This statement, consisting of this page and 1 other page(s) was typed for me by myself as we discussed its contents. I have read and understand the above statement. I have been given the opportunity to make any changes or corrections I desire to make and have placed my initials over the changes or corrections. This statement is the truth to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of June in the year 2006 at 1545.

Witnessed: ____________________________

Representative, Naval Criminal Investigative Service
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